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PADUCAH, KY., SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1905.

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THE RUSSIANS ROUTED NEAR NEW CHWANG

Casualties During Fortnight Over 1000... The Czar Issues Statement.

Tokio, Jan. 14.—Additional reports from army headquarters state that the Russian cavalry that was defeated in the neighborhood of Yenkiow Wednesday, retreated in disorderly fashion to Takaon, south of New Chwang, leaving sixty-two killed and six wounded. Many abandoned their arms and accoutrements and it is believed the Russian loss exceeded two hundred. The Japs again routed the Russians near New Chwang Friday.

The Czar Confident.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—The czar today issued an order to the army of the heroic defense of Port Arthur by Gen. Stoessel and the garrison. In conclusion he says "I am greatly grieved by the lack of success and painful losses, but let us not abandon our courage. It is in sorrowful times such as these that the power of Russia renews itself. I am confident, as is every other Russian, that the hour of victory is nigh."

Why Did Port Arthur Fall?

London, Jan. 14.—The Times' Port Arthur correspondent says:

"The total number of soldiers, seamen and civilians in Port Arthur at the beginning of the siege, 55,000.

"There are no signs of privation here. There was food sufficient for two months and surrender of the garrison is inexplicable."

The Mail's Tokio correspondent gives a story to the effect that all the money in Port Arthur was divided among the Russian officers and when this was discovered bitter feeling arose in the army and navy, which was largely responsible for the fall of the fortress.

No Jap Vessels Sighted.

Port Louis, Mauritius, Jan. 14.—It is denied that any Japanese cruisers have been sighted off Cape Amherst, but it is rumored that a war ship was recently sighted off the west coast of Mauritius.

The Messageries maritime steamer Iraouaddy had landed 4,500 packages at Nossi Be Island for the Russian squadron. The Russian auxiliary cruiser, Kuban, carrying 510 men, and eight guns, has arrived at Diego Suarez bay.

Gen. Stoessel at Home.

Nagasaki, Jan. 14.—General Stoessel and other prisoners of war arrived here after quarantine inspection. General and Mrs. Stoessel and a number of officers, women and children were landed in steam launches and received by a guard of police. General Stoessel wore his sword. Many Russian officers already here saluted in respectful silence.

Gen. Kuropatkin to Be Recalled.

Rome, Jan. 14.—A private telegram received from St. Petersburg asserts that Gen. Kuropatkin will probably be recalled on account of ill health.

Russian Casualties.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—The Russian casualties during the fortnight have been: Killed, officers, 7; men, 183; wounded, officers, 42; men, 949; missing, 43.

Conference With Hay.

Washington, Jan. 14—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, called at the state department yesterday to talk with Secretary Hay respecting the protest made by Russia against the alleged violations of neutrality by China during the present war.

Upon the first announcement of Russia's intention to file this protest it was apprehended here that it might be the forerunner of some positive action on the part of Russia which would vitiate the agreement entered into between the belligerents at outbreak of war to restrict hostilities to a certain well defined area, which undertaking was effected through the United States government with the hearty co-operation of the powers of China. Now, however, the belief obtains that the action of Russia in dispatching this note is intended, not to indicate immediate action toward obliging China to remedying the matters complained

of at present, but rather to have on file a record of a grievance against the Chinese government which can be brought up for consideration at the conclusion of hostilities, and during negotiations which will effect a permanent settlement of the eastern question.

Is France Hostile?

Tokio, Jan. 14.—The Saho says today, "It is no longer possible to overlook the French non-observance of neutrality, nor her disregard for the obligation of a neutral nation. Her actions are little less than hostile."

FIRST WORK

DETECTIVES EACH FIND THEM A MAN THIS MORNING.

Eph Sebree Glad He Was "Located" for He Has Property Coming.

The "plain clothes men," Paducah's new detectives, did their first work this morning. Detective Will Baker was given the case of Ephraim Sebree colored, wanted up about Trenton, Ky., to take charge of property left him by a relative, said to be quite an estate. Attorneys and court officers had been in quest of him for some time, but had failed to locate him and sent out circulars to various police departments.

Detective Baker found Sebree today in the employ of the Illinois Central as brakeman, and needless to say, Sebree was glad to be found, and his good fortune was all news to him.

Detective T. J. Moore also found a man today. He arrested Bud Campbell, colored, said to be wanted in Savannah, Tenn., for jumping a bond. The man will be held for definite information, little being known about the case at present.

Officer Will Orr is laid up from rheumatism, his many friends will regret to learn.

Births.

Born, to the wife of Mr. T. O. Hubbard, of 1740 Harrison street, a fine boy baby.

IN CONGRESS.

Hearst Resolution Adopted—DuBois Statehood Amendment

Washington, Jan. 14.—The house today adopted the Hearst resolution calling on the president for the grounds of discharge of James C. Keller, and three other letter carriers. The house then began consideration of four hundred pension bills.

In the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 14.—In the senate today Senator DuBois, of Idaho, had read an amendment he will offer to the statehood bill denying the right of suffrage to bigamists and polygamists, those who are joined in celestial marriage, or members of any organization favoring polygamy.

Fire in Pennsylvania.

Spartansburg, Pa., Jan. 14.—Fire this morning destroyed six large buildings in the business section, with heavy loss. The King family, which occupied a flat, narrowly escaped death.

British Steamer Floated.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 14.—The British steamship Bardsley was floated today and will proceed tomorrow to Rotterdam, providing divers find her in a condition to stand the ocean voyage.

Two Killed in Explosion.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 14.—Luke Gay and Joe Wilkes, firemen, were killed by an explosion of steam in the boiler room of the Vulcan Power Block this morning.

THE COMMISSION REPORTS ON CANAL

More Discretion Needed in Beginning Work.

Chaotic Condition Found and Much Work Necessary to Restore Conditions.

PLANS IN A FEW MONTHS

Washington, Jan. 14.—President Roosevelt, in a brief message transmitting to congress yesterday the first annual report of the Panama canal commission, together with a letter from Secretary Taft relating to Panama affairs, recommends that he be given greater discretion, as he is charged with the responsibility of constructing the canal. The board of canal commissioners, he says, should be reduced to five or preferably three members, whose duties, powers and salaries should be assigned by the president.

In his letter Secretary Taft says the commission has done a great deal of work of organization and preparation to build the canal. The chaotic condition of affairs in the isthmus, due to the time which has elapsed since the new French canal company ceased to work, lack of care of the plant and equipment and the rapid growth of vegetation in that soil and climate brought about such confusion that it will require several months yet to restore proper conditions of work of canal building.

The report of the canal commission reviews the situation as the work and conditions and says the French surveys are of little value because of changed conditions since they were made.

The report says the development of final plans for both the deep water channel and the inner harbor at either end of the canal will be concluded within the next two or three months.

The report also details at length with sanitation and details what has been done to preserve the health of the people along the canal.

Morgan Gives \$10,000.

Washington, Jan. 14.—J. P. Morgan, it is said, has donated ten thousand dollars to the Catholic university of America. Senators Aldrich and Elkins have given the institution twenty-five hundred each.

Masked Burglars.

Elkhart, Ind., Jan. 14.—Four masked burglars broke into the home of John Thornton, a wealthy retired farmer living in this city, bound and gagged Mr. and Mrs. Thornton, stole \$600 and escaped.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. G. W. Perryman will return this evening from Louisville and occupy his pulpit tomorrow both morning and evening at the First Baptist church.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat—Open. Closed.

May 1.16% 1.16%
July 98% 99

Corn—

May 44% 44%

Oats—

May 31% 31%

Pork—

May 12.75 12.67

Cotton—

Mar 6.86 6.88

May 6.94 6.97

July 7.06 7.08

Stocks—

I. C. 1.58% 1.57

L. & N 1.40% 1.39%

Cop. 75% 75%

N. Y. Spots 7.20

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O TURKO-BULGARIAN WAR O

O ASPECT. O

O Constantinople, Jan. 14. O

O The Turko-Bulgarian situ-

O ation is taking on a sinister as-

O pect. Vah, of Adrianople,

O has reported to the Sultan

O that Bulgaria is erecting new

O block-houses and fortifica-

O tions along the border, and

O Turkey will follow suit. Tur-

O key is collecting large

O amounts of war munitions at

O Salonika.

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NEW SECRETARY TO ARRIVE MONDAY

He Will be in Charge Only Temporarily.

Is a Good Worker and a Member of the State Executive Committee.

OPENING RECEPTION TUESDAY.

Mr. Blake W. Godfrey the new temporary secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. will arrive on Monday from Louisville and assume his duties, preparatory to the opening of the building on Tuesday.

Mr. Godfrey is a member of the state executive committee at Louisville and is one of the best all-round Y. M. C. A. men in the state. He is a native of Alabama and a graduate of the University of Alabama.

Before coming to Kentucky he was Y. M. C. A. secretary at Bristol, Tenn., and Stirling, Ill. His first work in Kentucky was as secretary of the Frankfort Y. M. C. A. from which ably-filled position he was called in 1904 to become secretary of the county and boys' work for the state.

He is a gentleman of culture and refinement and will do much to put the local Y. M. C. A. on the footing it should have, after its re-opening.

It is hoped all the business men and those who have evinced their interest in keeping the work here will come out to the opening, the hours are from 3 to 6 and from 8 to 10 Tuesday afternoon and evening.

The public is most cordially invited and urged to be present.

MUST ANNUL

UNCLE SAM WILL NOT STAND FOR HAITIAN VERDICT.

American Given Fifteen Years Must Be Released From Prison At Once.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Jan. 14.

Mr. Powell, the American minister has informed the government of Hayti that the United States refuses to recognize the validity of a sentence in contumacy to fifteen years' hard labor pronounced by Haytian court against Jaeger Huber, an American citizen, for alleged complicity in bond frauds charged against the administration of former President Simon Bolivar and officers of the bank of Hayti. The United States demands the annulment of the sentence under pain of energetic intervention.

The demand caused much excitement here.

ADAMS' ANSWER.

He Will Demand Investigation of All the Ballots.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 14.—Governor

Adams will file an answer to the Peabody contest on Monday. He will demand that all ballot boxes of Denver, Los Animas and Huerfano counties be opened. Peabody asked for the opening of part of the Denver

Los Animas boxes, but none of Hu-

erfano. Adams will ask for an inves-

tigation of the election at Lead-

ville, Cripple Creek and several other

cities.

NEGRO MURDERER CONVICTED.

Houston Booker, the negro who, on October 25, shot and killed Conductor Phil Atwood on an iron

mountain passenger train near Far-

rell, in Saline county, was convicted

of murder in the first degree. Judge

Duffy will pass sentence for the time

of the hanging as soon as the usual

time for the appeal has expired.

DEADLOCK.

Dover, Del., Jan. 14.—W. B. Den-

ny, Union Republican, was elected

speaker of the house late yesterday.

This breaks the deadlock in the low-

er branch and is the result of to-

day's conference.

WEEK

The Kentucky WEDNESDAY Night Only

Management Jas. E. English

James K. Hackett Presents Nannette Comstock

America's Most Charming Comedienne

In Winston Churchill's Dramatization of his own famous novel of Love and War

Fourth Success-
ful Year
Magnificent Scenic
Effect

The Crisis

Special Paducah Prices: Orchestra \$1.00 and 75c
Balcony 75c and 50c. Usual Gallery.

A Cast Par Excellence
Antique Costumes.
Dramatic Situations

Seats on sale Tuesday 10 a. m.

Theatrical Notes

Next Week at The Kentucky.
All week opening Monday night (except Wednesday) The Cutter & Williams' Stock Co.

Wednesday night, James K. Hackett's own company with Nannette Comstock in "The Crisis."

Wednesday night The Cutter & Williams Co. will lay off, giving way to Miss Nannette Comstock in "The Crisis," and will then resume their engagement Thursday night and balance of week.

All of next week at The Kentucky Cutter & Williams' Stock Co. holds the boards.

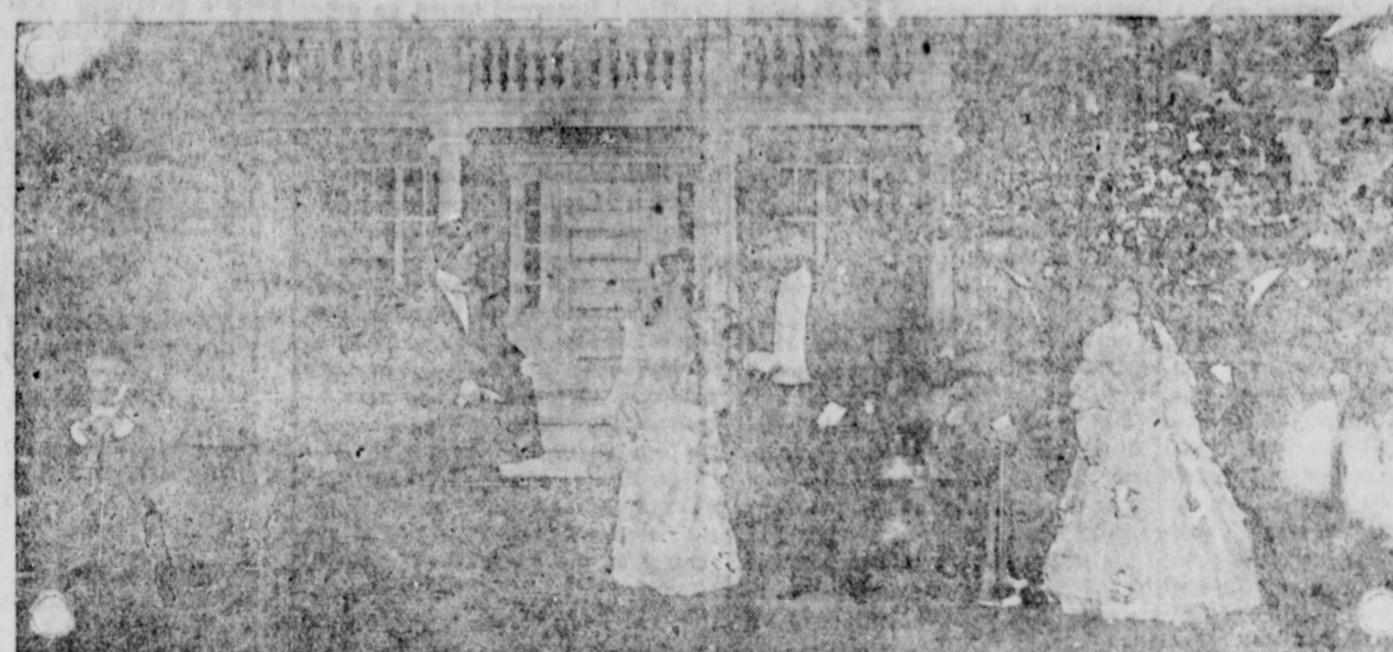
On Monday evening the entire strength of the company will appear in "A Kentucky Girl," a play for which the management is paying a high royalty to the author.

During the intermissions high class specialties will be introduced, thereby avoiding any long and tiresome waits.

No end of good reports have been received here in advance of this excellent company, and there is no doubt but what they will do capacity business at prices of 10, 20, 30, with a special inducement of ladies free on Monday evening. The sale of seats is now going on.

An event of more than ordinary theatrical importance is announced for the night of Wednesday at The Kentucky when Nannette Comstock will make her first appearance in this city as a star bringing before local playgoers her famous impersonation of Virginia Carvel in Winston Churchill's dramatization of his successful novel, "The Crisis." James K. Hackett, the celebrated young actor-manager, has surrounded his star with a superb company and one of the finest scenic equipments in this city's gaudiest scenes seen on the stage in years. "The Crisis" will be presented in this city with the same company and production that it has been shown in all the large cities of the country this season. Indeed, so fine is the presentation of the play that Mr. Hackett announced at the beginning of the present season that it could not be bettered, for which reason, he would himself no longer be seen in the piece but would leave all the honors to Miss Comstock, seeking a new play for himself. Seats go on sale Tuesday 10 a. m.

"As Bill Says" was the familiar introduction to a story in New York and Chicago last year. It had its origin in the expression that is constantly used by Jim Hackler in his masterly spectacular comedy drama, "The County Chairman" (not a musical comedy) which Henry W. Savage offers at The Kentucky soon. Jim Hackler is the County Chairman of his political organization. He is one of those big hearted, honest, genial fellows that seem to have a hold upon the people in every community. Hackler at the same time is a shrewd political aspirant, and he never forgets a wrong. Judge Rigby, a political aspirant, in the middle western village in which "The County Chairman" is located, fought in the Civil war with Jim Hackler and hurried home before it was over to win, through treachery, the only woman Hackler ever loved. The big County Chairman remembers this and fights Rigby in every campaign for twenty



A Scene From the "CRISIS," at The Kentucky Wednesday Night Only.

SALOONS CLOSE.

Advantage of Flournoy Decision Was Short Lived.

Commonwealth Attorney John Lovett, of Benton, is in the city today on business.

The saloons at Gilbertsville and in the Birmingham and Briarsburg districts are closed and we have no local option proper in Marshall county again," he stated. "The saloon keepers did not know that the decision of Special Judge Flournoy had been reversed, but this did not excuse them for a violation, and as soon as the decision arrived, warrants were issued and the saloon men arrested.

The saloon men were given a city or district license by the trustees, as the council is called in sixth class cities, and were operating under both state and city license.

"The Sambo Girl," with that particularly fetching little comedienne, Eva Tanguay, in the name part, comes to The Kentucky soon. Miss Tanguay is most pleasantly remembered for her artistic portrayal of numerous comedy characters and distinctly recalled as the bright and shining hit of Mr. Frank Daniels' production of "The Office Boy," and it will, therefore, be a source of gratification to her many friends to learn that in "The Sambo Girl" Miss Tanguay has found a play that is personality and in which she has made a distinct success.

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Has stood the test Twenty-five years. The first and original tasteless chill tonic, 50c

It you enjoy a good story look for the first installment of "Over The Border," which will be published in The Sun, the first installment Monday. It is a story that will interest you from the first chapter; has a clever theme and is well told. You won't find better stories anywhere than we are publishing in The Sun and we have not had one yet any better than "Over The Border." Try it.

If you have not been reading our serial stories you should do so as they are one of the most popular of our features.

Look for the first installment Monday and read it,—and the following ones.

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SLEETH'S DRUG STORE

NINTH AND BROADWAY

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OVER THE BORDER," BY ROBT. BARR, STARTS MONDAY.

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COUNTY TEACHERS.

The Pay Came and the Money Is Being Distributed.

County School Superintendent A. M. Ragsdale is today paying county teachers the fifth installment of salary, and will have but one more payment to make, this the next month.

Yesterday he received the fourth consignment of money for the teachers, one consignment previously coming for two months, and the total amount received yesterday was \$1,969.19. The teachers have about one more month to teach, taking the schools generally, except one, Miss Annie Knott, of school district No. 25, who will have to teach five months longer. This is the district where the controversy between the trustees and the superintendent existed. Miss Knott did not start teaching when the other teachers did because of the controversy, which was settled only a few weeks ago which necessitated her teaching full six months.

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We can prove it has cured all forms of stomach troubles in thousands of cases.

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slowly poisoned. I had chills and fever, ached all over, lost appetites and sleep.

The doctors told me that I had malaria, and quinine was prescribed. I took it for two weeks and as I kept getting

worse decided to change treatment. I spoke to a friend about my condition. He said that he had some of Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative)

Syrup Pepsi that he wished I would try. I used it for three days

and felt better, and sent for six bottles and used them while in camp. It acted like magic in driving the poison out of my system,

cleansed my blood, restored my appetite, and I am now in perfect

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The New Fire Station.

Some of the fire and police commissioners do not think that the idea of having fire station in Mechanicsburg is advisable, and that instead one ought to be established somewhere near Sixteenth and Broadway, for the protection of property in that locality. Nothing definite has yet been settled about the station, the conference Thursday night not being final or binding.

School Principals Meet.

Supt. Leib and the principals of the public schools have today been meeting at the High school building to prepare the questions, etc., for the annual examinations. The first school term closes January 30, and the new term begins the following Monday.



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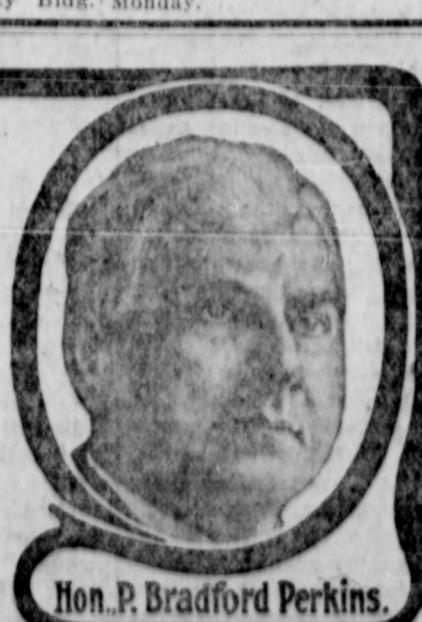
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The Week In Society.

KNIGHT ERRANT.

Spirits of old that bore me,
And set me, meek of mind,
Between great dreams before me
And deeds as great behind,
Knowing humanity by star
As first abroad I ride
Shall help me wear, with every scar,
Honor at eventide.
Let claws of lightning clutch me
From summer's groaning cloud,
Or ever malice touch me
And glory make me proud.
Oh, give my youth, my faith, my
sword,
Choice of the heart's desire;
A short life in the saddle, Lord!
Not long life by the fire.
—Louise Imogen Guiney.

Quiet Socially.

While the thermometer this week has gone up and down at a most reckless pace and has done all kinds of stunts en route, the social thermometer has remained on the edge of zero, and refused to thaw a particle. The week has been uncompromisingly dull, and the old game of "hunting the slipper" has been no circumstance to seeking an entertainment. The nearer you would get to the informal affairs the more the cry of "cold, cold" would greet you. Even the clubs have caught the spirit and have seemed not so clubbable as usual. There is no accounting for it, it is not a re-action from the Christmas gayeties, for they were all over and done last year, nor is it that breathless calm that presages a storm. It is simply an indifference that needs arousing to prevent freezing. It is not usual for January to be so quiet but then Lent is so late this year that probably it feels it can afford to go slow and let February "do society."

Y. M. C. A. Opening.

The opening of the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening will be a social event of more than the usual public interest. The woman's committee will have the evening in charge and will act as hostesses of the occasion, so the success is assured in advance. Mrs. James A. Rudy is the new president of the woman's committee and Mrs. Elbridge Palmer the vice-president.

A delightful musical program of the best talent will be rendered and refreshments will be served. The building is now being put in order for the occasion and will wear a most festive air after its late "rest-cure."

The new temporary secretary is expected to arrive for the occasion, and State Secretary H. E. Rosevear will run down from Louisville to give charm and distinction by his genial presence.

Everyone is interested enough to speed the good work and make a gala night of it, for it is Paducah's Y. M. C. A. There will be no admission, but if anyone should desire to make a free-will offering it will be gratefully accepted.

A Rustic Dance.

Unique in setting and effect, and delightful in every respect was the "rustic dance" given by Miss Myrtle Decker and Miss Helen Decker last evening in farewell to their old home on North Seventh street. The big rooms and halls were empty and barn-like and were especially good for dancing. The guests were masked and wore quaint attire. The girls in calico dresses and sunbonnets, the men in picturesque overalls, sweatshirts and big straw hats. The scene was most effective, and all formality was laid aside with evening clothes. Old-fashioned country dances, Virginia reels and old-time games were the order of the evening, and the occasion was one of much merriment, and was a fitting farewell to a house where Paducah young people have enjoyed so much and varied pleasure.

Those present were Miss Louise McNamara, of Wichita, Kans.; Miss Virginia Kinnie, of New York; Miss May Mathis, of Rockport, Texas; Misses Ethel Brooks, Faith Langstaff, Ethel Morrow, Margaret Park, Susanne Jorgenson, Robbie Loving, Retta Hatfield, Louise Cox, Relia Coleman, Fannie Coleman, Henrietta Koger; Messrs. Herbert Wallerstein, Edson Hart, Cade Davis, Henry Rudy, Morton Hand, Arthur Martin, Frank Bourne, Ed Scott, Richard Walker, John Brooks, Ben Frank, Walter Iverson, Arthur Everett, Henry Cave, Evert Thompson, Pat McElrath, Edwin J. Paxton and Dr. Vernon Blythe.

Entre Nous Club.

Miss May Owen entertained the Entre Nous club and some outside guests very delightfully at cards on

Thursday afternoon at her home on Jefferson street. The club prize, a dainty piece of drawn work, was won by Miss Louise Cox. A Christy picture, the visitors' prize, went to Miss Faith Langstaff and was presented by her to Mrs. Henry Grace. A very elaborate course-luncheon was served in conclusion. The guests were:

Mrs. Harris Rankin, Mrs. Henry Grace, Mrs. C. H. Blaney; Misses Beulah Rogers, Robbie Loving, Marjorie Bagby, Frances Terrell, Ethel Brooks, Susie Thompson, Louise Cox, Reta Hatfield, Fannie Coleman, Relia Coleman, Nell Holland, Faith Langstaff, Clara Thompson, Virginia Kinney, of New York; Manie Cobb, Emma Niehaus, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Terrell, Louise McNamara, of Wichita; Ella Sanders, Helene Carroll, of St. Louis.

U. D. C. Meeting.

An especially pleasant meeting of the Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was held on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. James Koger, of Jefferson street. Mrs. Koger is always the January hostess and combines a New Year social occasion with the usual business routine. Five new members were received into the chapter.

At the close of the business session there was a pleasant social meeting, refreshments were served, with an attractive musical and literary program. Miss Frances Herndon gave a charming recital and Mrs. David Lewis and Miss Julia Scott some delightful musical selections.

There is no move on foot this year to make any especial celebration of the birthday of General Robert E. Lee on the 19th. The chapter has very fittingly observed the day, however, in several occasions.

Kaisers Club.

The Kaisers Club was pleasantly entertained by Miss Kate Pieper at her home on North Thirteenth street on Thursday evening. Cards were played and there was music and other enjoyable features during the evening. The first prize for ladies fell to Miss Amelia Pieper, and the ladies' booby prize to Miss Louise Rottinger. The first prize for gentlemen was won by Mr. Robert Rudolph and the gentlemen's booby prize by Mr. Charles Rottinger. A delightful luncheon was hospitably served during the evening. The guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rudolph, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bichon, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Seitz; Misses Louise Rottinger, Emma Kleybacker, Cornelia Legeay, Amelia Pieper; Messrs. Charles Rottinger, Gus Legeay, Adolph Pieper, Will Legeay, Will Rottinger, Paul Legeay.

Popular Visitor.

Mrs. H. W. Levy, of St. Louis, is the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Herman Wallerstein, of North Seventh street, and Mrs. Jacob Wallerstein, of North Fourth street. She is just from Louisville, where she attended the marriage of her niece, Miss Amelia Bernheim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Bernheim, to Mr. Jacob Rau, of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Levy formerly lived here and her popularity is evidenced by the number of delightful little informals that have been given in her honor by her friends. She was formerly Miss Emma Uri, of this city, and Mrs. I. W. Bernheim, of Louisville, another of these five popular sisters, of which only the two Mrs. Wallersteins are now living here.

Folleneela Club.

Mrs. W. V. Eaton was hostess to the Folleneela club on Tuesday afternoon, entertaining very delightfully at her home on North Seventh street. A sentence guessing contest was a most pleasant and interesting feature. Mrs. H. H. Duley cleverly captured the prize, a beautiful Dresden china bouillon cup, and very graciously presented it to the club guess of honor, Mrs. C. L. Faust.

An attractive three-course luncheon was served. Those present were:

Mrs. Samuel Sugars, Mrs. Charles Abbott, Mrs. Henry Duley, Mrs. Victor Van de Mal, Mrs. Emma Rehkopf, Mrs. Fred Lagerwahl, Mrs. C. L. Faust.

Complimentary Evening.

Miss Annie Sands entertained at her home on Harris street on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Minnie Talley, of the South Side. Refreshments were served and the evening was an enjoyable one. Those present were:

Misses Minnie Talley, Mary Wilson, Lillie Stevenson, Moile Thur-



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All Wool 11-4 Blanket, white, extra quality, at.....	\$4.00	Nice line of Sateen Comforts, extra nice, soft filling, at.....	\$2.25
Beautiful line of All Wool Extra Heavy, Superior Quality Plaid Blanket, all colors, 11-4, at.....	\$5.00. \$5.80	Doubt Faced Comforts—one that you will appreciate—at.....	\$2.75

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man, Elizabeth Sands, Annie Sands. Messrs. Malcolm Greenleaf, Harry Horton, Ollie McGarvey, Robert J. McGregor, Polk Graves, Charles Greer.

A Pleasant Occasion.

The Friends' Society of Grace Episcopal church entertained its membership with a delightful and elaborate luncheon on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Richard G. Terrell, on Kentucky avenue. This is an annual event in the society and marks a most pleasant social reunion.

This society is the oldest in Grace Episcopal church and has done a fine work. It was formerly called the Burke society, but after the death of Mr. George Langstaff was named the Friends' society in honor of him.

Sans Souci Club.

Miss Clara Thompson entertained in honor of the Sans Souci club on Wednesday afternoon at her home on South Sixth street. There were ten tables at cards and the occasion was a very delightful one. The club prize, an ivory paper knife, was won by Miss Ethel Morrow. Mrs. David

Van Culn captured the visitors' prize, a Japanese card tray. An elaborate course-luncheon was served at the end of the game.

Delphic Club.

A very fascinating morning was enjoyed by the Delphic club on Tuesday at the club room in the Carnegie library. "Napoleon, the Man—Josephine" was delightfully given by Mrs. Louis Rieke. Mrs. James Rudy cleverly sketched "Napoleon, the Statesman and General—Hotel des Invalides." "The Romance of L'Aiglon" was finely treated by Mrs. Lillard Sanders.

D. A. R. Musicals.

The Paducah Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will give a notable musical on Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. James Buckner, on Jefferson and Eighth streets. It will be replete with charm and talent and Miss Blanche Buckner will lend additional interest to the noteworthy occasion.

Visitor Honored.

Miss Nora Darnell, 731 South Ele-

venth entertained last night, in honor of Miss Bettye Lynn, of Bardwell. It was a most pleasant occasion, enjoyed by a number of guests.

Announcements.

The February meeting of the Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be with Mrs. Mark Worten on the first Tuesday.

The Delphic club meets on Tuesday morning at the Carnegie library.

Mrs. Thomas Wilhoite will entertain the Folleneela club on Tuesday afternoon at the Craig house, on North Sixth street.

The Kaisers Club will be entertained on Wednesday evening by Miss Louise Rottinger at her home on the Cairo road.

Miss Kathleen Whitefield, of Kentucky avenue, is the hostess of the Magazine club on Thursday afternoon. The Arena, Century, Cosmopolitan, Bookman, Current Literature and Book Lover are the magazines for discussion. The quotations will be from Victor Hugo.

About People.

Mrs. Edmonia Daniels, who has been the guest of Mrs. Laura Fowler for several weeks, will spend the winter with relatives in Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Edward Brooks has returned to her home in Earlington, Ky., after a pleasant visit to Miss Susanne Jorgensen, on North Seventh street.

Mrs. Harry Tandy and little Miss Elizabeth Tandy returned to Frankfort this week after spending the holidays with Miss Emma Reed at the Palmer House.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Van de Male have returned from spending the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Stanley, in Oklahoma.

Miss Mae Mathis, of Rockport, Texas, is the guest of Miss Relia Coleman and Miss Fannie Coleman, of West Jefferson street. Miss Mathis visited here just before Christmas and was very popular. She has since been in Murray visiting.

Miss Jennie Anderson, of Memphis, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. Paul Eugene Stutz, of Jefferson street. Miss Anderson formerly lived in Paducah and has many warm friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson Decker and family moved this week from their residence on North Seventh street to the handsome new home recently built by Mr. F. M. Fisher on Jefferson street, beyond Ninth. The Decker home has always been one of the most hospitable in the city, and the new home will partake of the charm and character of the old.

Mrs. Muscoe Burnett left on Friday for Henderson to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Clay Dallam. It will be a family reunion, Mrs. Henry Burnet and daughters, Miss Elizabeth and Marie, and Mr. Clarence Dallam being there from Louisville, and Mrs. George Cobb from Chicago, to celebrate the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Dallam on Tuesday next.

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Mrs. Matt Rawls returned to Evansville at noon after a visit in Paducah.

The Paducah Sun.

AFTERNOON AND WEEKLY.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 14.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

Dec. 1 .2,939	Dec. 17. 2,957
Dec. 2 .3,000	Dec. 19. 2,959
Dec. 3 .3,004	Dec. 20. 2,964
Dec. 5 .2,956	Dec. 21. 2,966
Dec. 6 .2,949	Dec. 22. 2,965
Dec. 7 .2,921	Dec. 23. 2,970
Dec. 8 .2,921	Dec. 24. 2,965
Dec. 9 .2,927	Dec. 26. 2,966
Dec. 10 .2,933	Dec. 27. 2,971
Dec. 12 .2,992	Dec. 28. 2,972
Dec. 13 .2,934	Dec. 29. 2,986
Dec. 14 .2,938	Dec. 30. 2,996
Dec. 15 .2,951	Dec. 31. 2,996
Dec. 16 .2,952	
Total	79,950
Average for the month.....	2,961

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.
My commission expires Jan. 22, 1905.

The Weather.

Continued cold tonight and Sunday except probably snow Sunday in the extreme western portion.

BLESS THE LAWYERS!

Speaking of the ills from which the country is suffering, the Saturday Evening Post sums them all up in a few words—"legislatures and lawyers." It devotes a brief, but eloquent chapter to each, and both are so good that they should be read by everybody. Here they are:

"Now comes the season of legislatures. At the national capitol, and at the capitals of most of our forty-five states, gatherings of "statesmen"—and of the sinister camp-followers of and sutlers to the lawmaking army.

"Of these several thousand temporary but potent custodians of our rights, how many sit in seats bought for them by interests hostile to the public good? How many of them sit as mere registering-keys of political machines, financed and controlled by those same interests? How many sit for the people rather than for party? Finally, how many sit in their own proper persons, men free and eager to do what is right?

"Most of them are in parson-like frock coats—they give the legislative chambers an air of solemn, even funeral, respectability. But if they buttoned their frock coats and, without doing any lawmaking, rode home on their free passes from the railroads, would we as a nation be any the worse off?

"How much they will do that ought not to be done! How little that will not have to be undone!"

"It is impossible to deny that our statistics of crime, and of the growth of crime, in the United States are appalling—crimes against life, crimes against property, crimes against public rights. And no doubt this state of affairs is in part due to the lax enforcement of law and to the resulting growth of the lawless spirit. But to stop there would be to leave the root of this ugly menace untouched.

"A chief cause of our lawlessness is the law itself—statute-books filled with tricky, subtly worded laws deliberately designed to enable lawyers to safeguard criminals of all degrees and kinds in assaults upon order and justice. And who is responsible for this? Who made these laws? The answer must be the legal profession, the 115,000 lawyers, many of whom pocket the fat fees of the criminal class from trust baron to thug and thief. These lawyers are on the bench, have a monopoly of the judicial positions; they dominate the legislatures in direct membership;

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Do you know that many hot water bottles are flimsy affairs made merely to sell—leak quickly—no wearing qualities? Come and let us show you our line of really dependable ones—strong and well made; will outlive several of the ordinary sort.

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THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Few People Know How Useful it is Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartics.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

ing a sheriff or circuit clerk to hold it. The fact that the law compels a sheriff or circuit clerk to be one of the commissioners is as good proof as a sensible person would want, that an election commissioner is not an "officer" within the meaning of the law.

The board of education is all right. It seems fully capable of attending to its own business in a business-like way.

The indorsement of Hon. John W. Yerkes for a cabinet position is an honor worthily bestowed. Every southern state except Missouri has signed a petition that he be given a place in the cabinet, and Missouri would doubtless have been there also had she known anything about it. Mr. Yerkes is one of the most universally popular men in Washington, and they all like him, no matter from what section of the country they hail or what their politics may be. Mr. Yerkes, however, is more than a popular man; he is an able man, a man who would be a credit in any place, no matter how high or important. It is believed that his chances of getting a higher position than he now occupies, and a cabinet position at that are excellent. In fact, while Mr. Yerkes has evinced no unusual activity in regard to a place, his friends are very anxious for him to represent Kentucky and the south in the cabinet, and they believe they will succeed in having him do it.

In regard to Capt. Ed Farley's holding the position of election commissioner and school trustee, the circuit clerk of McCracken county is also an election commissioner and before he became a member of the board, the sheriff of McCracken county was a member. Certainly if the legislature of Kentucky considered a place on the election board an "office," it would not have attempted to fill it with persons who had no right to do what is right?

GEORGE ROOSEVELT.

Will Be Promoted to Consul General at Berlin by the President.

Washington, Jan. 14.—It is reasonably certain that the president will appoint George W. Roosevelt to be consul general at Berlin in succession to Mason, promoted. This will be in accordance with the policy of the president to promote members of the consul service when vacancies occur, Roosevelt now being an American consul at Brussels.

Vespian Warner.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The president has appointed Vespian Warner to be commissioner of pensions. Mr. Warner is now a member of congress from Illinois.

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PHONE 18.

9 DEGREES

LOWEST POINT YET REACHED BY MERCURY.

Many feel the effects of the cold—cold wave came on time.

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This morning one motorman who had stood on his car from early in the morning when the cars first went out until his feet became really numb from cold, would slack up his engine, turning his key just enough to make his car move ordinarily fast, and with his hand gripping the side all of the car would run on the round to get his feet warm.

Another who believed in a different kind of exercise to keep warm, was seen to slow up near a drug store and a small darkey jump on the car and deposit a small half pint of whiskey on the floor at the motorman's feet.

There is one warm place in the open in Paducah today and that is in the center of the street on North Third near Broadway, where the steamheating main is leaking badly.

The steam comes up from the manhole in great volume and many pounds escape constantly. Supt. Ed Hannan stated that no trouble from cold was reported by any subscribers and that the leak would not be stopped until warmer weather when the steam can be turned off and the leak repaired. The express drivers drive their hoses over the manhole to get them warm and every teamster who passes, tries to drive through the steam.

Many Licenses Issued.

City Clerk Henry Bailey has issued 292 licenses to people of the different classes of business in this city. They represent an income of about \$15,000 to the city. Of this number 95 are saloon licenses, but only three saloonists paid their license for the entire twelve months.

Washington—Justice Barnard, of the district supreme court, has denied the application for a writ of mandamus to compel the postmaster general to re-establish the postoffice at Las Vegas, N. M.



Peruna is recommended by fifty members of Congress, by Governors, Consuls, Generals, Majors, Captains, Admirals, Eminent Physicians, Clergymen, many Hospitals and public institutions, and thousands upon thousands of those in the humbler walks of life.

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Funeral of Mr. H. C. Allison.

For Tennessee Division—No Trains
Here Affected.

A new time card for the Tennessee division of the I. C. has been issued and will be effective tomorrow at noon. No local changes are marked. The change is made in one passenger train out of New Orleans north bound to Chicago.

Notice to Milk Dealers.

Renewal permits should be obtained at once. Permits are required of all milk dealers, in order to deliver milk in the city the permit must be obtained during the month of January. First the license should be procured, then on presentation of the license to the milk inspector, the permit will be given.

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—Miss Gussie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.

—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.

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—Kindly 'phone 358 every time you miss your paper, or there are any delays in its delivery.

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The Sun will begin publication Monday of "Over The Border," by Robt. Barr. If you are looking for something good in the story line you will certainly find it in this story. Start with the first installment Monday and take our word for it, you won't regret it.

—Tracing Boiler Inspector Wilson, of the I. C., was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. A. S. Thompson, who went to St. Louis to have his eye treated, is expected home Tuesday, having almost recovered.

—The Rector's Bible class of Grace church for adults, meets Monday 3:30 p. m. in school room of the church, to which the public is invited.

—The schools of Fulton, Ky., will reopen Monday after a several weeks suspension on account of scarlet fever.

—Mr. L. R. Hilton, of Woodbury, N. J., representing G. G. Green, the manufacturer of Green's August Flower and Boschees German Syrup, was in the city calling on the trade today.

—Mr. H. B. Cox, representing the Liquid Carbonic Co. of St. Louis, reached Paducah yesterday. This

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IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

The jury in the case of W. R. Woodson against the N. C. & St. L. road, returned a verdict for \$92.60 for the plaintiff. He sued for \$600 for the loss of some "box alleys," claimed delayed in shipment causing him to lose business.

In the case of Bettie J. C. Jones, against James Glauber, the plaintiff filed motion with reasons for a new trial. She was injured by slipping on the ice in front of his stable and suffered for \$5,000, but the case was decided against her.

A judgment ordering \$150 paid to the plaintiff in the case of Evans Howard Fire Brick Co. against Geo. Wielke was filed. The money was held by a trustee.

The defendant in the case of W. H. Bailey against the Southern Foundry Co. filed motion and reasons for a new trial.

The suit of the Rock Falls Mfg. Co. against Frank Adams was dismissed, settled. It was for \$250 on account.

At the adjournment of court today the case of the Paducah Banking Co. against Mrs. Rosa Robertson, on note of \$400, was on trial.

Suits Filed.

The following suits were filed today in circuit court: J. T. Sharp against Lee S. Robertson and others, for a note of \$832 with interest.

City National Bank against John Lane and wife on note of \$3,500, the annulment of a deed from Lane to his wife, and the sale of property to satisfy the judgment.

Deeds.

Antone Poat and others to Theodore Scheer and others, for \$1,425, property in the county.

John A. Williams and others to J. D. Yancey, for \$17' property near Thirteenth and Flournoy streets.

Marriage License.

T. E. Mobley, city, aged 22, to Emma Bell Scruggs, county, aged 21, ma Sills, city, aged 22, first marriage of both.

Oliver Bracken, county, aged 24, colored.

County Court.

The liquor license of F. F. Eaker, at 201 Jefferson has been transferred to W. W. Gibson, at 1122 South Tenth street.

The liquor license of J. C. Hinton, at Ninth and Boyd streets, has been transferred to Tuck Lowe at 1042 Washington street.

Will Fight Case.

A report showing the property of the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet Co. has been sent to the state board of equalization at Frankfort, Ky., by Attorneys Bagby & Martin for the company. The county has decided the interests taxable here, and the state board has concurrent jurisdiction. The Packet Co. will fight the case to a finish, carrying it to the highest court in the country if necessary. The company claims it pays its taxes in Missouri, the headquarters of the company, and that it can not be made to also pay taxes in this state.

Plaintiff Won.

While the jury yesterday brought in a verdict in favor of the Southern Foundry Co. for \$732 against Contractor W. H. Bailey, builder of the government building, the verdict was in reality a verdict for the contractor. The foundry did not furnish iron for the government building according to contract, and after considerable delay its plant burned. The contractor owed the foundry a bill of \$2,600 and instead of paying it brought suit against the foundry for \$5,000 damages for delay in the contract. The jury yesterday adjudged that out of the \$2,600 he owed the foundry, because of the damage by delay, he should pay \$732, making the verdict about \$1,800 in favor of the contractor.

Police Court.

The case against Lee Wolverton, white, charged with taking \$71 belonging to James Bell, of near Lincoln, Ky., on the Cumberland river, was continued at the instance of the defendant until Monday.

Wolverton has employed an attorney and wanted to secure several witnesses. The court gave him two days to get them together and will hear the case Monday.

Fred Merry, white, for striking a man named Merton, was fined \$3 and costs.

The case against Ed Holland, colored, charged with using profane language, was continued.

The warrant against Hermann Gaston, colored, who is charged with stealing \$25 from the Dun mercantile agency here, was filed away.

Social Notes and About People.

1905.

Matinee Box Party.

James E. English, Jr., is giving a box party at The Kentucky this afternoon to see "Happy Hooligan." In the party are: Little Misses Emma Boyd, Louise Campbell, Edith Sherrill and Masters Leonard Campbell, William Rieke Burnett, and James E. English, Jr.

Mrs. Lloyd Bloomfield arrived yesterday from Livingston county where he is engaged in the mining business.

Mr. Pearlie Williams, of Cairo, arrived last night to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Mr. H. C. Allison.

Mr. Marion Berry is ill with influenza at his home on South Fourth street.

Superintendent A. H. Egan, of the Louisville division of the I. C., was in the city today on business.

Miss Blanche Buckner arrived on Wednesday from New York and will visit her mother, Mrs. James Buckner, of Jefferson street, for several weeks. She expects to sail the last of the month for Europe with Mr. and Mrs. James Burns, of St. Joseph, Mo., and after making the Egyptian trip with them will go to Paris to study grand opera. Miss Buckner's voice has much possibility as well as charm and competent critics have pronounced it very worth cultivation for grand opera.

Mr. John O'Donnell, of Evansville, an expert steam heating man, is in the city today.

Miss Irene Rodfus, daughter of Mr. Charles Rodfus, has recovered after an attack of fever.

Mrs. Gus Reitz and daughter, Miss Irma, went to Louisville, today noon.

Master Mechanic R. J. Turnbull has returned from Louisville where he had been on business.

Mrs. J. J. Freundlich has returned from St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hocker, of Texas, who are visiting Squire Hocker of the Massac neighborhood, are being detained by the illness of their baby who is suffering from pneumonia. Mr. Hocker is the son of Judge Hocker, of Mayfield, and when the baby is better will go to Mayfield to visit.

Master Herbert Stewart, at Bellbuck, Tenn., is better and his father, Dr. P. H. Stewart, did not go down yesterday to attend him.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dunn have gone to Metropolis to attend the bedside of Mr. Dunn's mother, who is seriously ill.

Mr. R. G. Morrow, of Memphis, was in the city this week, visiting his mother and sisters, Mrs. Sallie Morrow and Miss Emily Morrow, on Jefferson street, en route to New York.

Nicest lunch in the city at S. B. Gott's tonight.

Subscribe for The Sun.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE

AMERICAN-GERMAN

NATIONAL BANK,

At Paducah in the State of Kentucky, at the Close of Business,

January 11, 1905.

No. 2070.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$ 680,059.96
Over-drafts, secured and unsecured..... 6,831.84
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... 30,000.00
Stocks, securities etc..... 26,171.72

Bank buildings, furniture and fixtures..... 17,800.00

Other real estate owned..... 1,700.00

Due from National Banks (not Reserve agents)..... 13,110.70

Due from state banks and bankers..... 64,051.87

Due from a prior reserve agents..... 35,088.18

Charters and other cash in bank..... 13,279.28

Due from National Bank..... 16,425.28

Fractional paper currency, nickels and dimes..... 938.61

LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK

Specie..... \$24,745.25

Legal tender notes..... 16,500.00

Redemption fund with U. S. treasury (\$ per cent of circulation)..... 2,500.00

Total..... \$1,101,814.88

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in..... \$20,000.00

Surplus fund..... 70,000.00

Unpaid dividends, less expenses and taxes paid..... 31,173.73

National Bank notes on standing..... 80,000.00

Due to other National Banks..... 23,984.37

Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks..... 42,800.00

Individual deposits and deposits in time certificates deposited..... 435,416.12

Liabilities other than the above stated..... 207,268.62

Total..... \$1,101,814.88

STATE OF KENTUCKY, vs. EDWARD L. ATKINS.

EDWARD L. ATKINS, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that my knowledge of the statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD L. ATKINS, Cashier

EDWARD L. ATKINS, Notary Public.

M. CRACKEN COUNTY KENTUCKY.

My commission expires March 8, 1908.

Correct attest:

LOUIS F. KOLB,

GE. J. BOLES,

GEO. C. THOMPSON

Directors.

REUBEN ROWLAND, District Manager.

LODGE

A Banker's Diary.

Nov. 27.—Today a depositor brought in \$73 in dimes, in a Metal Savings Bank. The cashier says he doesn't know exactly how many dimes a Metal Savings Bank will hold.

Dec. 3.—Saw the cashier open a Metal Savings Bank so full of money that it wouldn't rattle when he shook it. It contained \$7.29. Mostly pennies.

Dec. 8.—Another depositor brought in \$20 in dimes. That's a good many dimes. The town will be short of small change if our depositors keep on saving.

Dec. 9.—Nothing happened today but the usual routine business. Cashier reports a steady inflow of money. That means less trouble in the future for some of our depositors anyhow.

Mechanics' & Farmers' Savings Bank
227 Broadway

OFFICER HURLEY ILL.

Is Not Able to Leave the House Yet.

Officer Aaron Hurley is still ill and no better, his friends will regret to learn. He was taken ill several days ago at Greenville, Ky., where he was attending a trial and on returning home was forced to bed. Mrs. Hurley has been ill, but is now able to be up.

Officers Hurley and Ferguson were to have gone to Princeton to appear against three boys arrested here for breaking into a box car on the I. C., but on account of a delay in trains and the illness of the former officer, the case was put off until next week.

Formerly Lived Here.

Mrs. Willie May Cooley presented her husband, Friday morning, with a 10-pound boy, The baby, its mother, grandmother and father are doing well.—Mayfield Messenger.

FRANK JUST,
The Barber
525 B'way. Murrell Bldg.
First-Class, Up-to-date Shop. Attentive Barbers.

Much Excitement Occurred in the City

Much excitement occurred yesterday afternoon about 4:30 over L. M. Stephon & Co.'s new line of RUBBER GOODS.

SOLD BY

L. M. STEPHON & CO.
DRUGGISTS
Ninth and Kentucky Ave.

New Phone 251. Old Phone 509

Hand Loaded Shells

We are loading Shells by hand, thus assuring you of the very best quality.

Try them once and you will have no other.

H. G. THOMPSON
Successor to Soule's Drug Store.
313 Broadway.

EDGAR W. WHITTEMORE
REAL ESTATE AGENCY
PADUCAH REAL ESTATE
WESTERN KENTUCKY FARMS
BOUGHT—EXCHANGED—CARDED FOR
CAN WE DO YOUR REAL ESTATE BUSINESS?
AND IN THE MARKET PLACES OF THE CITY
WE ARE LOCATED ON BROADWAY AND
BROADWAY AND PADUCAH KY.

EIGHTEEN DAYS

WOULD SUFFICE TO MAKE A CIRCUIT OF THE LEAGUE.

In Case Four Clubs Only Belong to It—Cairo Shows How To Do It.

"That a four club league composed of Cairo, Paducah, Vincennes and Owensboro under the present constitution with a guarantee of \$30 for each game with a choice of 50 percent of the gate receipts, is far preferable to a six club league composed of Cairo, Clarksville, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Paducah and Vincennes on the ground of expense, can easily be seen from the following exhibit, says the Cairo Bulletin.

"A schedule showing how the team would play, a very easy proposition when it comes to four clubs, would be as follows:

Vincennes at Cairo.
Owensboro at Paducah.

Owensboro at Cairo.
Vincennes at Paducah.

Paducah at Cairo.
Owensboro at Vincennes.

Cairo at Paducah.
Vincennes at Owensboro.

Cairo at Owensboro.
Paducah at Vincennes.

Cairo at Vincennes.
Paducah at Owensboro.

"This makes a complete circuit requiring 18 days, while the old schedule with six clubs required 31 days. Of course the schedule can be varied to suit the league, but it would make no material difference in the miles traversed to make a complete circuit of all the cities landing back at the starting point. "As there would be seven complete rounds made during the season occupying 133 days, adding seven open days, one at the end of a complete tour, to the 126 actual playing days, there would be 2,709 miles traveled by each team, which is nearly 1,200 miles less than last season.

"Cairo does not attempt to dictate to the league, but it will stand by the compact originally made with Paducah and Vincennes, regarding the amendment to the constitution, notwithstanding what the others do, as other uses can be found for Cairo money than giving it to 'infant industries' that have been carried for two years and are still in the class of weaklings. If Paducah feels inclined, with the association, to carry the 'dead weight' of Henderson, Hopkinsville and Clarksville, why, that's their business. Cairo can only speak for herself when she declares that she will no longer continue the maternal relationship to the infants.

"Keep your eye on the nail and you will learn in due course of time that Cairo is not 'four-flushing,' but is really in earnest.

"Our sister city of Princeton, is anxious to become a member of the K. I. T. league. Plans for organizing a league team in that city are under way."

Subscribers will favor us if they will report any delays or failures in the delivery of their papers. Kindly phone 358 every time you miss your paper.

PADUCAH TO GET A BRANCH HOUSE

Practically Certain the Polk Co., Will Locate Here.

Cairo to Be the Concern's Headquarters—Has Several Factories in This Section.

NO DEAL HERE EFFECTED.

The cannery factory men who were in Paducah day before yesterday will no doubt either purchase the cannery here at Tenth and Norton, or build a new one. There has been talk of the company making Paducah a distribution point, but it is claimed that Cairo has been decided on because of its more advantageous freight rates.

Today's Cairo Bulletin says:

"According to Mr. R. B. Polk, vice-president and secretary of the J. T. Polk Canning company of Greenwood, Ind., one of the largest concerns of the kind in this section of the country, the company has decided to move its headquarters to Cairo. Mr. Polk was in Cairo yesterday and he said the unexcelled shipping facilities and the rich agricultural country surrounding the city attracted the company's attention to Cairo and they will interest the farmers of Illinois, Missouri and Kentucky in growing corn, tomatoes, peas, beans, etc., which they will purchase at reasonable prices in large quantities.

"The Polk company has factories at Mound City, Ill., and Wickliffe, Ky. They expect to establish one here and others at surrounding points with Cairo as headquarters.

"Mr. Polk left for Mound City yesterday where he will address a meeting of Pulaski and Alexander county farmers today. Since the establishment of the factory in Mound City the farmers of the surrounding territory have engaged extensively in growing the products used by that company and have greatly benefited thereby.

"The J. T. Polk company's plant at Greenwood, is one of the largest canning factories in Indiana. During the busy season last year the factory broke all canning records by putting up and shipping 7 car loads of canned peas for seven consecutive days. The corn and tomato shipments were in proportion.

"Mr. Polk will return from Mound City tonight and will spend several days in looking over the territory surrounding Cairo.

"He is accompanied by Mr. Harry McCarthy, general manager, M. J. R. Gentry of the sales department, Mr. S. S. Fox manager of the Mound City plant, and Mr. H. H. McCoy, also of the sales department."

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D. Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horsehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

Need More Light.

Members of the board of public works do not expect to get the blame for whatever lack of conveniences the city may have to put up with this year as they made recommendations to the boards which would have given the public what it needs, and the recommendations thus far have been turned down, although the whole general council will later have a chance to pass on them. It is claimed that the light plant, with 163 street lights, is now carrying 13 more than its capacity, and some idea of Paducah's inadequate lighting facilities may be had from the fact that Owensboro, Ky., a much smaller city, has nearly 400 street lights.

To Attend Funeral.

Mrs. W. E. Hendricks, of Cairo, and children, Miss Louise and Mr. Thompson Hendricks, will arrive tonight to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wilson Thompson, whose remains will arrive at 1:40 tomorrow morning from Houston, Tex.

Fresh Horsehound Drops
AT—
Sleeth's Drug Store
Ninth and B'way. Phones 208

THE SCHOOLS

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR THE EXAMINATIONS.

The Attendance Has Been Affected Some by the Recent Bad Weather.

This forenoon the principals of the city public schools held a meeting to make out lists of questions for the examinations to come week after next for the ending of the present school term.

A new method of preparing the examination questions has been adopted and is by far the best ever used in the local schools. Each teacher prepares a list of questions to place before the class and all lists will be gone over by the principals and the questions compared. The regular list is made out from each teacher's report so that every teacher will have a hand in making out the questions. In this way the best test is secured.

Next week will be spent in reviewing, as has this week, but the following week will be consumed by the examinations and on the 30th the second term will begin.

Superintendent C. M. Lieb reports the attendance a little off during this week, occasioned by the bad weather, but when the new term opens there will be many additional pupils entered. There are something like 25 pupils to come in, many being from private schools, an evidence of the growth in popularity and in the confidence of the parents, of the public schools.

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DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.

You can't tell when you may meet with an accident to yourself or property; therefore it is wise to be INSURED.

If a loss or accident occurs to you or your property you are on the safe side. We offer many advantages to those insuring with us. Full information and blanks on application.

W. F. MINNICH,
Fire, Life, Accident, Liability INSURANCE
Trueheart Building, Phone 194.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

Corrected Dec. 9, 1904.

South Bound 121 103 101

Lv. Cincinnati 6:00pm 8:20am

Lv. Louisville 7:25am 9:40am 12:01pm

Lv. Evansville 1:25pm 1:45pm 4:08pm

Lv. Hopkinsville 8:40am 4:40pm

Lv. Princeton 11:20pm 2:27am 4:45pm

Ar. Paducah 4:15pm 8:40am 6:10pm

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Ar. Fulton 6:00pm 4:50am 7:20pm

Ar. Memphis 8:20am 10:45pm

Ar. N. Orleans 8:30pm 8:15pm 11:30pm

North Bound 122 102 104

Lv. Louisville 7:10pm 9:15am

Lv. Memphis 6:50am 8:50am

Lv. Fulton 6:00am 10:12pm 12:35pm

Ar. Paducah 7:40am 11:20pm 1:48am

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Ar. Princeton 9:20am 12:30pm 3:00am

Ar. Hopkinsville 8:50pm 9:40am 10:40pm

Ar. Evansville 8:50am 9:45am 10:45pm

Ar. Owensboro 10:30pm 11:30pm 12:30am

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CAIRO-HOPKINSVILLE LINE.

North Bound 125-82 102 104

Lv. Hopkinsville 6:40 am 11:20pm

Lv. Princeton 7:45 am 9:30pm

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South Bound 136-826 125-822

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Ar. Hopkinsville 11:25 pm

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.

North Bound 305 274

Lv. Paducah 15:45pm 4:30pm

Ar. Chicago 4:45pm 8:00am

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Cardigan

By ROBERT W. CHAMBERS

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We entered Albany on the 22d of April; the town had heard the news from Lexington ere we sighted the Albany hills, the express having passed us as we crossed the New York line, tearing along the river bank at a breakneck gallop.

We lay at the house of Peter Weaver, my lawyer, Silver Heels and I. Jack Mount and Cade Renard lay at the Half Moon, where poor Shemuel could procure medicine and such medical attendance as he so surely stood in need of.

With Peter Weaver I prepared to arrange my affairs as best I might, it being impossible for me to undertake a voyage to Ireland at this time, though my succession to the title and estates of my late uncle, Sir Terence, made it most necessary.

Silver Heels, her round chin on my shoulder, listened attentively and asked some questions, which caused the ponderous lawyer to address himself to her rather than to me, seeing clearly that either I cared nothing for my own affairs or else was stupid past all belief.

Sir William's legacies to me and to Silver Heels were discussed most seriously, and Mr. Weaver would have it that the law should deal with my miserable kinsman, Sir John, for the fraud he had wrought. Yet it was exactly that, and because he was my kinsman, I could not drag him out to bring for his infamy before the rabble.

The land and the money left to us by Sir William would now doubtless receive, but it was only because Sir William had desired it that we at length made up our minds to accept it at all.

For Shemuel's sake and because we would not desert him we continued in Albany until near the end of April.

Taking counsel together, we had determined to build a mansion, when the times permitted, midway on the road 'twixt Johnstown and Fonda's Bush, our lands joining at that place. But I feared much that the war which now flamed through Massachusetts Bay might soon creep northward into our forest fastness and set the border ablaze from the Ohio to St. Sacrement. Much, too, I feared that the men of the woods whose skin was red would league with the men whose coats were red. All his later days Sir William had striven to avert this awful pact; Dunmore played against him, Butler betrayed him, Cresap was tricked, and Sir William lost. Now even his high place sneaked a pygmy, slow, uncertain, sullen, treacherous—his own son—who would undo the last knot which bound the Indians to a fair neutrality. Perhaps he himself would even lead them on to the dreadful devastation all men dreaded; and, if he, men must also count on the Butlers, father and son, to carry terror through our forests and hunt to death without mercy all who stood for freedom and the rights of man.

One of these I had held in my hand and released. Yet still that old certainty haunted me, the belief that one day I was to meet and kill him, in an honorable encounter, now, for he had lost the right to ask such a death from me; but in the dark forest, somewhere among the corridors of silent pines, I would slay him as sachems slay ferocious beasts that track men through ghost trails down to hell.

As I stood on the steps of Peter Weaver's red brick house, turning to look once more into the coals of the setting sun ere I entered the door, a hand twiched at my coat skirt, and, looking down, I saw below me on the pavement an Indian dressed in the buckskins of a forest runner.

"Peter!" I cried, for it was he, my dusky kinsman on the left hand. Suddenly, as I stood there, at a loss what next to say, came a heavy man, richly clothed, fussy face bent on the ground. Nor would he have discovered me, so immersed in brooding reverie was he, had not Peter touched his sleeve.

A bright flush stained his face. He looked up at me where I stood. Then I descended the steps, shoving Peter from between us, and Sir John Johnson, for it was he, moved back a pace and laid his heavy hand on his sword belt as I came close to him, looking into his cold eyes.

"Liar!" I said. "Liar, liar!" And that was all, for he gave ground, and his hand fell limply from his disengaged belt.

So I left him there in the darkening street.

We started next day at dawn, Silver Heels riding Warlock in her new kirtle and little French three cornered hat with its gilt fringe, to which she had a right, as she was now my Lady Cardigan, if she chose.

I rode a bay mare bought in Albany, yet a beauty, and doubtless the only decent horseflesh in all that town of rusty rackers and patrons' sorry hacks. Mount and the Weasel, leather clad and gay with quilled moccasins and brilliant trunks, journeyed afoot on either side of Shemuel, who bestrode a little doofie ass.

An hour later I summoned Jack Mount, and he fell back to my stirrups, resting his huge hand on my saddle as he walked beside me.



NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a.m. River 12.5 on the gauge, a rise of 2.0 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and cold. Temperature 12 with north winds. Indications for continued cold.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER,
Local Observer

The Nellie Willett arrived from Pittsburg last night about 9 o'clock and this morning went into Tennessee river with barges to bring out stakes for the Cincinnati Cooperage Co.

The Kentucky will leave tonight for Tennessee river.

The Dick Fowler cleared on time this morning for Cairo with a good trip.

The Barrett arrived last night at 10 o'clock and went into the mouth of Tennessee river to lay up during the run of ice.

The ice is running heavier and navigation is practically suspended on the Ohio between Paducah and Evansville. "The situation is simply this," Observer Fowler explained.

"Does he know that it was me he loved so deeply in his madness?" asked Silver Heels gently.

"I think he does," whispered Mount.

Silver Heels turned her sorrowful eyes on poor Cade Renard.

Riding that afternoon near sunset at the False Faces' Carrying Place upon the Mohawk, we spoke of Johnson Hall and the old life sadly, for never again could we hope to enter its beloved portals.

Naught that belonged to us remained in the Hall save only the memories none might rob us of.

"If only I might have Betty!" said Silver Heels wistfully.

"Betty? Did she not attend you to Boston with Sir John?" I asked.

"Yes, but she was slave to Sir John. I could not buy her. You know how poor I woke to find myself in Boston town."

I had lensed from my lawyer, Peter Weaver, a large stone mansion in Johnstown, which stood next to the church where Sir William lay, this until such time as I might return from the war and find leisure to build on my own land the house which Silver Heels and I had planned to stand on a hill in full view of the river and of the old Hall where our childhood had been passed.

It was night when we rode into Johnstown. I could discover no changes in the darkness save that a few new signs swung before lighted shops and every gaily-hung out a lantern and a whole candlelight.

Our stone house was vast, damp and scarcely furnished, but Jack Mount lighted a fire in the hallway, and Silver Heels went about with a song on her lips, and Cade Renard sent servants from the nearest inn with cloth and tableware and meats smoking hot, not forgetting a great bowl of punch and a cask of ale, which the scullions rolled into the great hall and hoisted onto the skids.

Shemuel, with his peddling panniers, had strangely disappeared, nor could we find him high or low when Mount and Cade had set their own table by the fire and the smells sweet with steaming toddy.

"Thrif, thrif!" muttered Mount, rattling his toddy stick impatiently. "Now, who could have thought that little Jew would have cut away to make up time in trade this night?"

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Our Inventory Has Been Completed.

We are now down to business again. A great clearing sale has been inaugurated. We have planned a 60 days sale of valuable merchandise at cut prices--merchandise that may be found elsewhere but NOT AT OUR PRICES..

This sale means a great slaughter in the prices of shoes.
It means Men's and Boys' good Overcoats and good Suits at the kind of low prices that cannot be had elsewhere.
It means Dress Goods and Trim-

mings at profitless prices that will justify you to come and see about.
It means Women's \$10 and \$20 Coat Suits for \$12.50.
It means Women's Walking Skirts and Shirt Waists at marvelous low

prices.
It means Women's Cloaks and Rain Coats at cut prices.
It means bargains in Embroideries, Domestics, Flannelettes, etc.
It means bargains here, there and everywhere in the big store.

Now ready for our customers. McCall's February Magazines, Fashion Sheets and Stylish Patterns at 15 cents.
Our annual bargain sale of Muslin Underwear will begin the first week

in February. It will be the Muslin Underwear bargain event of the year. We cannot afford to make but one sale of the kind in a year. Women's Niht Gowns are down to 25c each in this sale. It will pay you to keep this sale in mind and not miss it.

Harbour's Department Store

North Third Street
HALF SQUARE FROM BROADWAY

SKIFF THIEVES MAKE GOOD HAULS

Many Fine Boats Stolen Here and Taken Below.

Owners Recover Some By Paying \$4—River Rats Blamed for Thefts.

LAW SHOULD BE ENFORCED

Steamboatmen and others having property about the river, especially skiffs and other small boats, are complaining loudly against "river rats," and declare that they all ought to be driven outside the city and county limits. The immediate cause of this feeling is the frequent and mysterious disappearance of skiffs during the past few weeks. It is believed by the owners that there is an organized gang of skiff thieves operating hereabout, as too many boats have been taken, and too good a grade of them picked to justify the theory of accident.

During the past several days Langstaff & Co. have lost two, the Ayer-Lord Co. two, the United States Gas, Coal and Coke Co. and the coal combine one each, and several other companies and persons from one to three skiffs each. The biggest and best yawls and skiffs are taken, and sometimes they are found at some point below, and sometimes they are not.

Mr. George Brown, of the U. S. Gas, Coal and Coke Co., found one of his company's big yawls stolen here two weeks ago, but he had to pay \$4 to get it back, because the person having possession of it claimed he picked it up floating in the river, and the law entitles a person to \$4 for recovering a skiff. This is one thing that makes it almost impossible to find out who steals the boats or to get them back without loss when they are located, as a man buying one of them will have to give it up to the proper owner if caught, unless he claims he caught it in the river, in which event he gets \$4 for catching it.

A great many people at points below, it is said, will buy a skiff and run the risk of the owner never finding it, and if he does find it, they then claim the skiff was caught in the river, and get \$4 for it.

Cool men think that if the laws requiring shanty boaters to pay a license in the city and county were enforced, it would go a long way towards ridding the river banks of some of the dangerous characters hereabout, and result in a noticeable decrease in petty thieving.

ARM HURT.

Workman From the Tennessee River Bridge Brought Here.

M. L. Harley, employed on Tennessee river bridge, was brought to the city last night injured.

He was taken to Lagomarsino Hotel where physicians were called and dressed his injuries. He got his arm caught in the rope on a "nigger engine," and the bones fractured above the elbow. He will remain at the hotel until able to return.

IKE FROGGE HURT

CLAIMS HE WAS ASSAULTED IN A CABOOSE.

Went in to Warm and Was Struck in the Head With a Monkey Wrench.

When Ike Frogge, an employee of the Thompson Stock Yards near Caldwell avenue in the southern portion of the city, went to go into an I. C. caboose this morning to warm, having been working out in the cold with the stock, he met with rather a warm reception, rather a little too warm to suit him, and as a result he is wearing bandages about his head and an I. C. flagman is wanted here for malicious assault with intent to kill.

This morning about 11 o'clock an outgoing freight train was standing in the "lead" waiting to go past the I. C. depot east. The train was long enough to bring the caboose even with the stock yards, and Frogge went in to get warm.

When he entered, according to his story, he spoke a few words of greeting and started towards the stove when the flagman, whom Frogge had not noticed particularly, advanced suddenly on him and struck him in the head with a monkey wrench. Frogge grappled with him and succeeded in preventing the railroader from doing him any further harm.

After leaving the caboose, Frogge telephoned to police headquarters and Detective Will Baker was sent to the depot to apprehend the flagman who had gone out on the train several minutes before the officer arrived.

Frogge is not badly injured but says that the assault was unprovoked. He thinks the flagman muttered something about Frogge's having "done him dirt" once, and thinks it a case of mistaken identity. The police have a description of the flagman and will arrest him on his return to the city.

A Veteran Traveler.

Mr. L. R. Hilton, representing G. G. Green the manufacturer of Boschee's German Syrup and Green's August Flower is in the city today calling on the trade and his Paducah friends. Mr. Hilton is one of those courteous, affable men and numbers his friends by the hosts. He has been traveling with his house for over 33 years, or since its foundation and has seen it grow from a small concern to one of the wealthiest and largest in the cough syrup trade. Mr. Hilton makes a visit to Paducah every year, and always calls on his newspaper friends. He says we have one of the best towns on his list and the growth and improvement each year is very marked, especially the last few years.

Visiting in Kentucky.

Rev. M. E. Chappell, formerly pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, in Paducah, is at Princeton, Ky., on a brief visit and preaches there tomorrow. Rev. Chappell is now located at Brownwood, Tex., and has been up in Indiana, where he took the body of his wife, who died recently, for burial.

Subscribe for The Sun.

FOR OUR READERS

Robert Barr's Best Story

We have secured the rights for "Over the Border," by Robert Barr, author of "Tekla," "Jennie Baxter, Journalist," etc., and will begin the serial publication

IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

Robert Barr has won an enviable place among the successful authors of the day. He has written nothing better than

Over the Border

Critics regard it as his masterpiece. Following are the opinions of a few taken from a large number of complimentary reviews:

It is a fine, gay romance, with a yellow haired cavalier and a lady whose locks are like the raven's wing. The story goes with a sweep and swing that take the reader gallantly to the end and give him a pleasant time by the way.—*NEW YORK TIMES*.

"Over the Border" is a strong story of one of the most interesting periods of English history, and there are no weak spots in the story.—*INDIANAPOLIS SENTINEL*.

A genuine old fashioned romance in which the hero is both physically and intellectually a giant, the heroine beautiful beyond the dream of a Mohammedan, and with no faults visible to the eye. It deals in swordplay, hairbreadth escapes, wild riding and love.—*CINCINNATI TIMES-STAR*.

FEATURES OF SUNDAY SERVICES

First Christian.

Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, of the First Christian church is still in Ohio conducting a series of revival meetings, and will remain there until the first of next month. No services, except communion, will be conducted tomorrow at his church.

Grace Episcopal.

Tomorrow morning at Grace Episcopal church, Rector Wright will preach on "Who is Responsible." At the morning hour he announces the topic for the evening discourse.

North Twelfth Mission.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Sunday school services will be conducted at the North Twelfth street Baptist church. Mr. Harry Lukens, superintendent.

Cumberland Presbyterian.

Cumberland Presbyterian—There will be services morning and night. At the request of the session, and pastor, Rev. W. G. Archer, of Owenton, Ky., will preach. Mr. Archer is a good preacher and has for several years had charge of the "Seven Hills Chautauqua" at the above place. The entire membership is urged to come and hear him.

German Lutheran.

Tomorrow morning Sunday school services will be conducted at the German Lutheran church, while at 10 o'clock German preaching will be conducted. At night Rev. Ilten will preach on "Early Piety."

German Evangelical.

"Habit, A Blessing and A Curse," will be the topic for tomorrow night's sermon by Rev. William Bourquin at the German Evangelical church. The

night services are conducted in the English language, while at 9:30 o'clock at morning the usual Sunday school worship will be held, and be followed at 10:30 o'clock with German preaching. Everybody welcome to these services.

Trimble Street Methodist.

Tomorrow morning Rev. W. W. Armstrong of the Trimble street Methodist church will preach on "The Parable of Talent—The Gift of Talent—The Use of Talent and The Day of Reckoning." At night time he delivers a sermon on, "Christ and Nicodemus."

Second Baptist.

Dr. B. T. Hall, the retired minister will preach each of the remaining Sundays this month at the Second Baptist church. Rev. E. H. Cunningham, the newly called pastor will not get here until the first Sabbath in February to take charge of the congregation.

First Presbyterian.

Tomorrow morning Rev. W. E. Cave, of the First Presbyterian church will preach upon "The Conqueror of the City," while at night his theme will be "Hands and Wings."

East Baptist Church.

Rev. T. E. Richey, of Princeton, will arrive this evening to preach tomorrow morning and night at the East Baptist church in Mechanicsburg.

Tenth Street Christian.

There will be no preaching at the Tenth street Christian church tomorrow, but the usual Sunday school and communion services will be conducted.

Third Street Church.

Rev. Peter Fields, of the Third street Methodist church, will tomorrow morning preach on "Godly and

"Worldly Sorrows Contrasted," while at night his topic for discourse will be "Endowment of the Church."

Broadway Methodist.

Rev. T. J. Newell, of the Broadway Methodist church, will tomorrow morning preach upon "Apostasy," and his evening subject will be "The Constancy of the Love of God."

There will be special music at the Broadway Methodist church tomorrow. The choir will be assisted by the First Christian church choir both morning and evening, and Prof. Harry Gilbert will preside at the organ. Mrs. W. C. Scofield will sing the offertory in the morning, and Mr. Edward Scott in the evening.

MUST HURRY

MANY PEOPLE THINK CITY LICENSE CANNOT BE PROCURED.

None Are Affected by Deadlock Except Saloons—Warrants to Be Secured.

License Inspector Ed. Clark says the public seems to have an erroneous idea about city license.

"With the exception of the saloon license, the council and board of aldermen have nothing to do with the issuing of license, as all except saloon license are issued by City Clerk Henry Bailey," he explained. "The people seem to think that the boarding house, retail and wholesale mercantile business and in fact all who have to procure a license, cannot get one on account of the deadlock. This is erroneous as the license is issued by Clerk Bailey and except saloon licenses do not have to be ratified by the boards."

Out of the three thousand license, only about three hundred have been taken out and Inspector Clark says he intends to have quicker results. He will, after this month, when the penalty goes on for failure to procure a license, issue warrants and will not go out looking for the merchants and others requiring a license but will make them come to him.

A \$150,000 Fire.

Oswego, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Fire in the plant of the Corn Products company destroyed three buildings. Loss \$150,000. Several persons were injured, one seriously.

"Over The Border," by Robt. Barr, is our latest story. The first installment will be published in Monday's issue. Look for it.

SOME BARGAINS IN BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

That Will Look Good to You This Cold Weather

10	PAIR BLANKETS, regular price \$4.50. NOW.....	\$3.75
10	PAIR BLANKETS, regular price \$3.50. NOW.....	\$2.98
18	PAIR BLANKETS, regular price \$3.25. NOW.....	\$2.75
40	PAIR COTTON BLANKETS regular price \$1.25. NOW.....	90c
One Lot	Comforts, 2 1/2 yards square, Regular \$3.25. NOW.....	\$2.98
One Lot	Comforts, 2 1/4 x 2 1/2 yards, Regular \$2.25. NOW.....	\$2.49
Fifteen	Comforts, 2 x 2 1/2 yards, Regular \$2.25. NOW.....	\$1.98
One Lot	Comforts, 70 x 70 inches, Regular \$2.00. NOW.....	\$1.49

You Had Better Get These Bargains While They Last

ELL GUTHRIE

315 Broadway. PADUCAH, KY.

INFERNAL MACHINE.

G. Rousseau Arrested at Home of Brother of Missing Owen Kelly.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—A man who gave his name as G. Rousseau was arrested at the home of John Kelly, brother of the missing Owen Kelly. Rousseau was found to contain an infernal machine wrapped in a Vashington newsly, and a telescope bag he carried paper. The man is believed to be delmented. He was committed to prison. Kelly told the police that Rousseau had offered for \$500 to take him to his missing brother Owen in New York. When Rousseau's hand bag was examined the infernal machine, consisting of clock works, dry cells, wires and about fifty dynamite caps was discovered.

PLATT'S SCALP.

Is Desired by the Postal Progress League.

New York, Jan. 14.—At the meeting of the Postal Progress League in Cooper Union last night Chairman Post of Battle Creek, Mich., said he had prepared and will ask the United States supreme court for a restraining order to prevent Senator Thomas C. Platt from taking his seat. He said he would take this action on the ground that Senator Platt subverts the interests of the people he has

served to represent in the interest of corporations he really represents. The matter relates to the parcels posts.

PYTHONIAN'S SUICIDE.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 14.—Dr. Albert G. Carr, one of the most prominent physicians in Durham, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the head. The suicide was probably caused by despondency.

Dr. Carr was 54 years of age and was a brother of Gen. Julian S. Carr, one of the wealthiest men in North Carolina. He was one of the best known physicians in the state and aside from his prominence in his profession he was a man of wealth. He carried about \$50,000 insurance on his life.

Mrs. Thompson's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wilson Thompson, who died in Houston, Tex., will take place at 3 p. m., tomorrow at the First Baptist church, burial at Oak Grove.

The body will be taken from the train to the lecture room of the church, and remain there until the funeral. The deacons of the church will act as pall bearers.

GAS HOUSE COKE

Makes an ideal fuel when burned in furnaces, grates and hard coal stoves. Has more heat units per ton than all other fuels. A trial order will convince you that it is the highest economy to use